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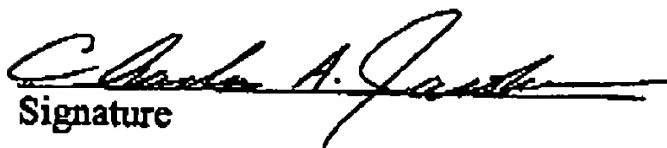
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 13, 2004, Applicants provide the following response. The Applicants submit the Response within the three month due date of March 13, 2004, which is extendable to Monday, March 14, 2005, because March 13, 2004 was a Sunday.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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